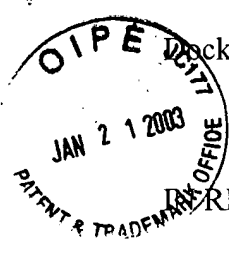


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Docket No.1048-1139.1

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RE THE APPLICATION OF)
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SERIAL NO: 09/837,084)
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FILED: April 18, 2001)
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FOR: A Thermoformable Lamination)
Containing a Flexible Polyamide)
Co Extrusion)

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.111** in the above-identified patent application.

- [x] Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.
[] No additional fee is required.

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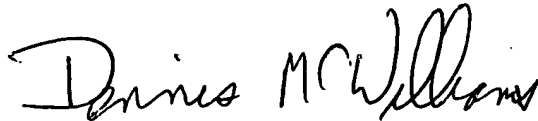
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[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULT. DEP. CLAIM				+ \$140 =	\$0	+ \$280 =	\$0
				TOTAL FEE	\$0	TOTAL FEE	\$0

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[X] A check in the amount of \$ 110.00 to cover the additional fee is enclosed.

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- [X] Applicant hereby petitions for a *1-month extension* and entry of this Amendment which is sent within the first month after the due date of December 11, 2002. The payment of \$110.00 to cover the one month extension is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,



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